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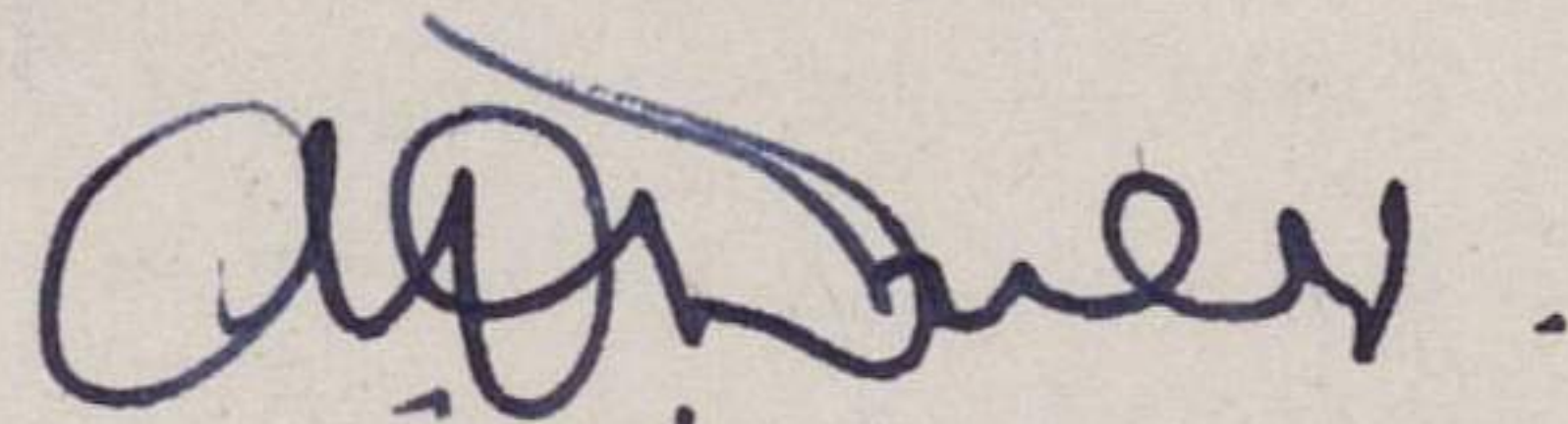
Dear "Phog":

We are writing you with reference to our team coming to Kansas City during the coming Christmas season. As you know, when we first received information about your tournament, we immediately scheduled a series of games which we would play on the way to Kansas City and back to Los Angeles. At the present time we have some ten games booked. We are arriving in Kansas City about the 20th of December and we will remain there until the Hearts of America games on the 29th and 30th. If there is any possibility of our playing an exhibition game in your series or taking part in the tournament itself, we would be pleased if you would keep us in mind. We would also appreciate it if you would advise us of any good commercial teams we could possibly meet in Kansas City on the 21st. As you undoubtedly realize, a trip of this nature involves considerable expense and it is very necessary for us to make every effort to make both ends meet.

I am sorry things did not work out for us to participate in your games on the 22nd and 23rd. However, we are grateful for the consideration and hope that it will be possible for us to resume basketball relations again in the very near future.

With kindest personal regards and expecting to see you in Kansas City during the holidays, I remain,

Sincerely,



A. O. Duer  
Head, Athletic Department  
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